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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director for Operations

SUBJECT: Requirements for Collection

1. Attached hereto is a Requirements Paper developed by the State Department specifically for SO. This is done in pursuance of a Memorandum of Understanding which grew out of an interagency meeting held on 10 April (copy of which you have).
2. A part of that Understanding was that upon completion of this Paper OO and the military services would examine the Paper in order to indicate which of the items were collectable through its collection facilities.
3. It would be appreciated if this Paper could be returned to me with an asterisk before those items on which you believe you can collect partial information and two asterisks after those items which you think you can handle in their entirety.
4. I understand that you have already done something of this sort with respect to the JCS paper No. SM-626-51. I would appreciate receiving the response to this memorandum on the State Department Paper and your views with respect to OO/C collectibility on items in the JCS paper by the end of next week.


Acting Assistant Director,
Intelligence Coordination

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